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- On 1 April 1952 the Prague military command* processed about 360 politically reliable officers from infantry, parachute, and armored force units for training in the USSR. The processing included medical examinations and administrative procedures.
- 2. In November 1952 the SNB will receive sizeable amounts of air force material including fighter aircraft, possibly MIGs. A special airport is to be constructed to service SNB flying units. The location of the projected airport is unknown.
- 3. The development of the Bohnice (051/L79) anti-aircraft compound continues. Approximately 10,000 to 12,000 men are now stationed in or assigned to the area. In March 1952 about five mobile radar units of unknown type were parked in the compound. The units were covered with canvas, hence it was impossible to determine characteristics of the sets. Radar and radio training in the Bohnice compound currently emphasizes jamming and anti-jamming technicques.

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Comment: This may refer to the district military command (okresni vojenske velitelstvi - OVV) in Prague.

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